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For tickets, sleeping-car berths and general information, call at City Ticket office, soil Kansas avenue, corner Sixih street, (telephone 330); at Passenger Station, corner First street and Kansas avenue, (telephone 334); or at Postoffica, Rorth Topeka, (telephone 334).

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Eastern Vestibule No. 8, leaves 2:47 p. m.

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City ticket office, 525 Kansas ave.

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TOOK A MEAN ADVANTAGE. Engaged Man Insisted on Rissing His

Finnese in a Street Car. A young man and a young woman changed from a Belt line to a Fourteenth street car at the avenue, Washington, and sat in one of the seats in the first car. He was carrying an overcoat and a satchel and was evidently going away. She wore a shirt waist and dark skirt, as if starting out on a shopping expedition. Just before they reached Sixth street he leaned over her and said quietly, so quietly that only the reporter back of them could hear: "I am going to kiss you good-by when I leave the

'Oh, please don't," she said appealingly; "not before all these people." But he was decided and said persistently: "Yes I shall; so raise your veil. If you try to resist people will see it and wonder about you, and they will look at you all the way uptown after I get off."

She glanced up shyly and then slowly raised her veil. He bent over her and kissed her and no one in the car looked up. A few people wondered why she was so anxious to show the diamond ring on the left hand, but n body but the reporter appreclated the fact that she was trying to justify the kissing by means of an engagement ring.



A RETIRED BUSINESS WOMAN.

A Page From Her History.

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The important experiences of others are interesting. The following is no exception: "I had been troubled with heart disease 23 years, much of that time very seriously. For hive years I was treated by one physician continuously. I was in business, but obliged to retire on account of my health. A physician told my friends that I could not live a month. My feet and limbs were badly swollen, and I was indeed in a serious condition when a gentleman directed my attention to Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and said that his sister, who had been afflicted with heart disease, had been cured by the remedy, and was again a strong, healthy woman. I purchased a bottle of the Heart Cure, and in less than an hour after taking the first dose I could feel a decided improvement in the circulation of my blood. When I had taken three doses I could move my ankles, something I bad not done for months, and my limbs had been swollen so long that they seemed almost putrified. Before I had taken one bottle of the New Heart Cure the swelling had all gone down, and I was so much better that I did my own work. On my recommendation six others are taking this valuable remedy."—Mrs. Mosgan, 569 W. Harrison St., Chicago, III.

"Dr. Miles' No. 7 Heart Cure, a discovery of an aminent specialist in heart disease, is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee or sen' by the Dr. Miles Medical Co. Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, \$I per bottle, six bottles for \$6, express prepaid. It is positively free from all oplates or dangerous drugs.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CITY CLEEK, TOPENA, KANSAS, July 16, 1894.

Seal proposals will be received at this office until Wednesday, August 1, 1894, at 5 o'clock p. m. for the construction and completion of such vitrified brick sidewalks, mentioned in a resolution which was adopted by the mayor and council of the city of Topeka, July 2, 1894, and such other walks as have been ordered on petitions, excepting therefrom such walks as are constructed by the owners of the property or as shall be exempt by resolution of the council. All walks to be constructed in conformity with ordinance No. 1326, approved June 2, 1891. Proposals to be made for vitrified brick walks on sand foundation per square foot.

All material used in the construction of all the sidewalks shall be subject to the inspection and acceptance of the city engineer, or such other person as may be designated by him; all of the work to be done under his general supervision and subject to the final inspection and seceptance by the mayor and council.

Each bidder will be required to deposit a sample of the brick to be used with the city engineer, for his inspection and approval before any contract shall be lef.

All proposals for any of the walks to be made upon the basis of payinents in "sidewalk script" of the city of Topeka, payable as follows: One-half on January 1, 1835; one-fourth July 1, 1825; and one-fourth October 15, 1836.

All proposals must be accompanied by a certified check of \$100 in favor of the city of Topeka, as a guarantee that if the work or any part of its shall be awarded to the party making such proposals he will enter into a written contract, within three days after such award, to perform the work within such time as the mayor and council may designate at the time of awarding the contract. And the successful bidder shall give a good and sufficient bond, with two or more sureties, to be approved by the mayor for the faithful performance of his contract.

The mayor and council reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

[SEAL] Attest: S. S. McFADDEN,

At Topeks Steam Laundry.

Peerless Steam Laundry-Peerless

[SEAL] Attest:

STOPPED SMOKING TO SAVE.

But the Precedure Didn's Pan Out as Profitably as He Had Expected. Xerxes Jones determined to quit smoking, not you know, that it had any baneful influence upon his health, but solely for the reason that he didn't feel justified in spending twenty-five cents a day for the weeky luxury. Jones had a good disposition and began his new scheme on Sunday.

"Seeing I've quit smoking, I'll put an extra quarter in the collection box to-day," he mused, and in the money went

Monday, just to please his little wife, good Jones bought a forty-cent box of mixtures and handed it over to his wife with the remark: "No, my dear, it's no extravagance. Just about what I saved on eigars to-day, and we both can enjoy this after tea." Tuesday Jones bought a fifty-cent toy for his little boy out of the cash saved by abstinence from tobacco. Wednesday he changed his dining place down town from a twenty-five cent place to a fifty-cent table d'hote, feeling justifled in spending the extra quarter

saved on cigars. Apparently forgetting this Thursday, the reformer remarked to himself: "There's that new umbrella my wife's been talking about. Fil buy that and charge it up to two weeks' savings on smoke." Friday a new dinner set was purchased to please the wife of his heart, and set over against twenty weeks' savings from tobacco and Saturday Xerxes Jones spent 25 cents for eigars, having lost six days of his luxury, and figured up that he had saved on the wrong side of his books just about \$38.90.

LITTLE SKULL OF GLASS. A Boston Man's Ingenious Device for Pro-

venting Poisoning Accidents. The unlabeled poison bottle is as bad as the unloaded gun for causing fatalities. Carelessness at home will render useless the utmost vigilance of the drug clerk who relies upon the warning label required by law to be pasted on all poisonous prescriptions. To obviate this danger a man living in the suburb of Boston known as Jamaica Plains has made a bottle which very effectually convays the necessary information as to the deadly nature of its contents, so that not only he who runs may read but he

who cannot read may understand. The bottle is of blue glass, in order that the contents may better resist being affected by light, and it is molded into the shape of a skull, with cross-bones underneath. The word "poison" is placed in raised letters on the forehead, and at the base of the skull a space has been left for the red label that tells the nature of the drug. The hollow eyesockets, the jawbones and the teeth would tell its purpose to a blind man, and ghastly as it may seem to those who are blessed with sight, it is better to be frightened than to die. That at least is the philosophy of the inventor, and he is not a druggist, or doctor, by the way, but a plain, every day jobber in boots and shoes.

ENGLISH ORTHOEPY.

The Work That Is Being Done by a Pri-

vate Tutor of Foreigners. In the national capital is a private tutor of English to foreigners who trains them in the idioms of pronuncistion with this chain of similarly spelled words: "Though the tough cough and hiccough plough me through." The result is humorous as these samples of the efforts of the pupils will show:

"Tho the to co and hicco plo me

Thuf the tuf cuf and hiccuf pluf me Thof the tof cof and hiccof plof me

throf. Thup the tup cup and hiccup plup me thrup.

Thoo the too coo and hiccoo ploo me throo." It is not surprising that Voltaire, when he began to study English and

learned that ague was pronounced as two syllables and plague as one, should have wished that half of the English had the one disease and the other half the other.

Burning Mountain of Coal-

At Winger, in New South Wales, there is a burning mountain. It is 1,820 feet in height, and is supposed to be a large coal seam which has in. some unaccountable way become ignited, and has been burning for many years, certainly long before the advent of the white man in this portion of the colony. The course of the fire can be traced a considerable distance by the numerous depressions or chasms occasioned by the falling in of the ground from beneath which the coal has been consumed. Smoke is continually issuing from the sides of the mountain, and in the vicinity of these openings the surface is hot, and has a dry, parched appearance, while sticks thrust into these openings are readily ignited.

Rather a Knowing Cat.

J. W. Moses, of Megquier Hill, has an unusually intelligent cat, called Isaac, who is very fond of fresh fish. Recently while the cat was lying on the floor a member of the family said to it: "Isaac, do you want us to go a-fishing?"and then added, "If we had a frog for a bait we would go." On this old Isaac got up with a knowing look and trotted out, only to return in a few moments with a good-sized frog, which he had caught in a awale near by.

Never Touched Bim.

A little fellow had been seriously lectured by his mother and finally sent into the garden to find a switch with which he was to be punished. not find a switch, mamma, but here's Chicago Tribune. a stone you can throw at me."

A Poor Catch. "Are you getting many bites?" asked one man of another, who was angling in

a New Jersey stream. "Plenty," was the laconic roply.

"Are you catchling many?"

"Not one!" "How's that?" "They fly away."
"Fly? The fishes fly away?" repeated.

the questioner in amazement "Who is talking about fish?"

"I am." "Well, I'm not." "What are you talking about?"
"Mosquitoes!" — Pittsburg Chronicle-

Telegraph.



Aunt Ethel-Half for you and half for Georgie, and remember what I told you about always keeping the smaller half for

Tommy-Please, auntle, mayn't Geor-gis divide it?-Pail Mail Budget.

"Gentlemen," said the guest at the hotel, who was supposed to be a drummer from the east, 'you have all heard about the madstone, of course—that curious stone which cures hydrophobia in human beings?"

Yes; we had all heard of it. "I think I have a treat for you here," he continued as he took a parcel from his pocket wrapped up in tissue paper. "I happen to be the owner of a madetone. There are only 10 in America, and I have one. You will of course want to know how I got it, and I will briefly explain that it was left to me by an old Kentucky darky on his deathbed. I was born and raised in that state, and the darky was my father's slave till freedom came. Here "You call that a madstone, do you?"

queried one of the group.
"I do, sir—one of the best of the 10."
"Well, I don't! If that isn't a common whetstone, such as you can buy anywhere for 10 cents, I'll eat it!"
"My dear man, you are 'way off! I my-self have seen this stone cure three differ-

ent people In fact, it cured me." "Hydrophobia, of course!"
"I don't believe it!"

"But you don't mean to call me a Har?"
"No, of course not! You have been taken in and done for on that stone. It's

simply a common whetstone." "And it won't cure hydrophobla?" "No. sir!"

"And it didn't ours mo?" NO. SIT! "Wasn't it left me by a dying colored

"Not at all! It's a whetstone you carry around in your trunk, and very handy things they are. No, sir, that's no mad-The drummer got up and went to a win-

dow and heaved the stone into the street. When he returned, nothing was said for a long time. By and by he quietly asked of the whetstone man: "Have we met before?"

"We have," was the roply: "I heard you gulling a crowd in Indianapolia two months ago, and one of them was the clerk in the hardware store who sold you

the stone."- Detroit Free Presa.

He Did the Conductor. "I was coming up from the Indian Territory once," said a drummer, ' and there was a newspaper man on the sleeper. His name was Rody, but he had a pass with some other fellow's name on it. When the conductor came along, Rody showed up

the ticket. " 'Is your name Baker?' asked the con-ductor. That was the name on the ticket. 'Yes, sir, it is,' replied Rody. " 'Have you a card or letter by which you could be identified?' persisted the

conductor. "1-1 am sorry,' said Rody, 'but I haven's got a thing that way.'

"'Well, don't you know that that is no way to travel? Suppose you should be killed in an accident, how would your body be identified? 'Why, by the pass, responded Rody

The conductor gave up the cross ques-

tioning, and Rody rode clear to Kansaa City on that other fellow's ticket."-Washington Post.

They Wers In the Way. Such a serio-comic sight was a little maid of about 3 years at Manhattan beach the other day. The poor baby, who was nearsighted and wore spectacles, wanted to paddle in the water and spoil her russet shoes. Her nurse had been forbidden to take them off, so baby set up a how! and

finally sobbed out: "Take 'em off, Mary." I thought abe meant the shoes, but she went on, "Take off my spettettles so I can orgi"-New York Recorder.

His Threat.

The brawny policeman crouched in the doorway, glaring out into the darkened Suddenly the loud blast of a tin horn

The policeman gave a mighty bound into the street and caught two trembing boys by the collar. "Wow!" he thundered. "If OI know

sounded near at hand.

which wan av yez done it, Oi-Oi'd ran yez both in!"-Truth. Served His Grandfather. The Reformed Cannibal—So your name is Goodpastor, is it? It may interest you

Reformed Cannibal-Fricasseed. - Poorson's Weekly. Such Things Will Happen. Nearsighted Old Gentleman-Little boy,

to know that I served your grandfather.

Young Missionary-In what way?

now much does a bicycle like that one of